


# SQUARE DANCING SOCIETY OF QUEENSLAND INC.

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	<b>The Bugle –</b>	
	<b>May 2024</b>	

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ABN 47 164 072 405



## PRESIDENT'S REPORT FROM PRESIDENT JUNE LAMBERT

Hard to believe we are already into May. For those of you going to Darwin for the National Convention, safe travels for all and see you for a great week of dancing.

On our return from Darwin, we will be able to attend the dance to celebrate Alan Evans' 50 Years of Calling. The dance is at Thornside as per flyer in the bugle.

In September we are celebrating 70 years of the Square Dance Society of Queensland. If anyone has any photos of old society functions, I would appreciate copies to display over the weekend.

Calling all dancers, past and present, and all past and present committee members to attend this weekend. It would be good to catch up and hear some stories of dancer experiences over the years.

Have a good read of the 2025 National Convention promotional article in this Bugle.

**Please note:** Due to the upcoming National Convention, the June edition of the Bugle may be delayed.

June Lambert, President, Square Dancing Society of Queensland



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1954 - 2024

6<sup>th</sup> & 7<sup>th</sup> September 2024

Burnie Brae Centre, Chermside

## The SD Society of Qld. (70<sup>th</sup>) Platinum Celebrations

(incorporating the QCA 41<sup>st</sup> State SD Convention)



The **Square Dancing Society of Queensland Inc.** invites you to celebrate **70 years** since it's inception in **1954**.  
As well as **Queensland Callers Association, 41<sup>st</sup> State Square Dance Convention.**

**Venue:** Burnie Brae Centre, 60 Kuran St., Chermside, Qld.,4032



**Cost: \$5** per Session  
or  
**\$15** for a W/E ticket

### Friday 6<sup>th</sup> September 2024

7.00-7.30pm - Rounds

7.30-10.00pm - Mainstream (with 2x Plus brackets)

### Saturday 7<sup>th</sup> September 2024

10.00-12 Noon - Beginner/Class level

#### Lunch Break

1pm-2.30pm - Plus (with some A-level)

2.30-4.00pm - Mainstream (with 2x Plus brackets)

6.30pm-7.00pm - Rounds

7.00pm-10.00pm - Mainstream (with 2x Plus brackets)  
(including Banner Parade & Dressed Sets)

Free Tea, Coffee & Biscuits throughout the event - BYO water bottle



# **Gumdale Grandsliders Inc**

## **37<sup>th</sup> Birthday Celebration dance**

**TUESDAY May 7<sup>th</sup> 2024**

**CALLER: Alan Evans**



**Venue: Alexandra Hills Community Hall  
Cnr. Windemere and Finucane Roads  
Alexandra Hills**

**Commencing: 10am-12.30pm Mainstream some Plus  
12.30pm -2.30 Plus some Mainstream**

**Lunch Break 12pm-12.30**

**Pizza Lunch Provided**

**Admission: \$8.00**

**Raffles and Lucky Door Prizes**

Enquiries: Heather 0407381439





# *Saturday Dance*

**Featuring**

**Various Callers**

**11<sup>th</sup> May 2024**

at

Logan City Square Dance Centre  
161A Magnesium Drive Crestmead Qld

Time 1.30pm - 4pm

Afternoon tea break included

Raffle? Yes - don't forget your spare change

Admission \$8.00 person

Need more info?

Contact Jane 0405 316 469 or

Email; [logancitysquare dancers1@gmail.com](mailto:logancitysquare dancers1@gmail.com)

# DREAM ONCE MORE

**DARWIN2024**  
Marrara Stadium



## COME AND SHARE THE DREAM IN 2024

**Monday 20 - Friday 24 May 2024**

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QRDA PRESENTS:

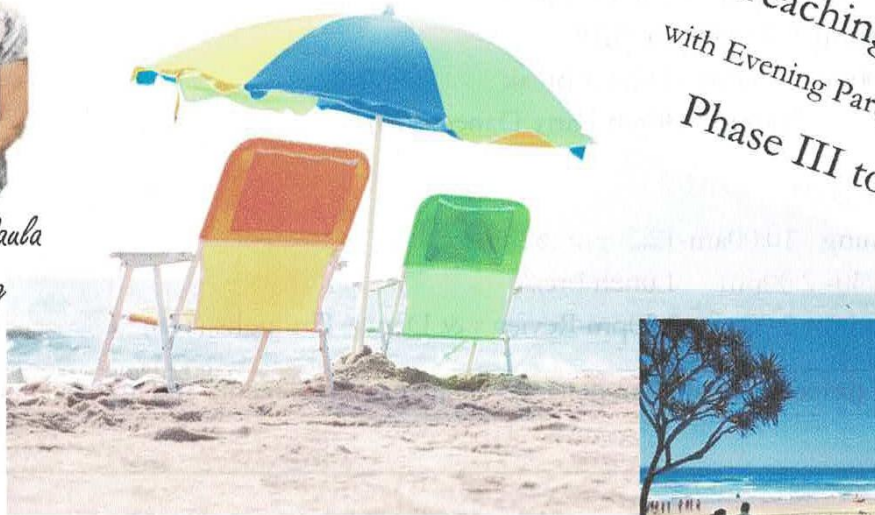
# Winter Rounds By The Sea

Still at COOLUM BEACH



*with*

*Warwick and Paula  
Armstrong*



A Teaching Event  
with Evening Party Dances  
Phase III to V



Friday 14<sup>th</sup> June, Saturday 15<sup>th</sup> June and Sunday 16<sup>th</sup> June 2024

Coolum Civic Centre

2 Park Street, Coolum Beach, QLD

Coolum Beach is a short 15 minute drive/ shuttle from the Sunshine Coast Airport at Marcoola. It offers a wide range of accommodation options from campsites, motor home sites, cabins and motels to 5 star resorts. The Coolum Civic centre is a short walk to a range of cafés, restaurants and shops, while the nearby Coolum Surf Club offers seaside relaxation and dining.

**NOTE: Change of date to accommodate the ANSDC in Darwin (20/5/24 – 24/5/24)**

## Come Join Us

Registration forms available from:

Chris Heyworth: 0400 530 673 OR

[caduceus22@hotmail.com](mailto:caduceus22@hotmail.com)

**DATE CLAIMER**  
**Celebration of 50 years of Calling**

for  
**Alan Evans**

**Saturday, June 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2024**

2-5pm

Thorneside Community Hall  
200 Mooroondu Rd  
Thorneside.  
Brisbane.



Hosted by  
**Gumdale Grandsliders Square Dance Club Inc**

Contact Heather 0407 381 439 or Teresa 0407 197 572

# *Save The Dates*

*13th–14th July 2024*

## **Plus & A Level Weekend**

*Logan City Square Dance Centre 161A Magnesium Drive Crestmead Qld*

*Featuring Callers*



*Alan Evans &  
Kay Walker*



Enquiries phone Jane 0405 316 469 or email [logancitysquare dancers1@gmail.com](mailto:logancitysquare dancers1@gmail.com)







# 65<sup>th</sup> Australian National Square Dance Convention July 7<sup>th</sup> – 11<sup>th</sup> 2025

## NEWS UPDATE #2 APRIL 2024

16<sup>th</sup> April 2024

Greetings All,

As respondents to our pre-registration contact offer, you are very important to us. You're not only giving us the opportunity to spread the word about our convention, but you've also helped us see how successful our promotions are being accepted.

Our Countdown clock says there are only 447 days to go. When we get to 412 days you'll be able to register at the super low price which I can't reveal yet. However, I can tell you about our great offer.

Our Early Bird Registration period will run for 65 days (65<sup>th</sup> ANSDC) from 20<sup>th</sup> May until 24<sup>th</sup> July 2024. At the close off of that period, we will randomly draw 65 people who will be refunded a big portion of their payment so that their actual registration cost will be only \$65.00.

The latest addition to our website is the programme shell. View at [2025.ansdc.au](http://2025.ansdc.au)

If you're going to the Darwin National you can expect a well organised convention with more of the fun experienced in Adelaide last year. Make sure you visit us at our 65<sup>th</sup> ANSDC booth. You can register and pay online or if you prefer, collect hard copies of the Registration information and form. Payment can be made at the booth by card, cheque, direct deposit into our bank account or *we'll still accept cash*.

If not going to Darwin, go to the website from the 20<sup>th</sup> May, click on "Registration" and either download a registration form which you will be able to fill in online, or download, complete and return to The Registrar. Payment can be made online through the secure "Square" option or make a direct deposit. If you're expecting a need for multiple forms for your club or group email or phone our Registrar Bev at [registrar@2025.ansdc.au](mailto:registrar@2025.ansdc.au)

The website lists hotel/motel accommodation and caravan parks.

If you're travelling in a caravan, camper or motorhome and don't necessarily require the facilities of a 4- or 5-star resort, we have secured over 50 sites at the Caboolture Showground. Power, water and showers are provided. Bookings will only be accepted through our Hospitality Coordinators, Leighton and Sandra Bloomfield. Email:- [caravans2025ansdc@gmail.com](mailto:caravans2025ansdc@gmail.com)

We now have a Facebook page, **2025 ANSDC** and we'd like you to spread the word through this medium.

In the next few weeks you'll receive the first chapter of "Your Heart is an Open Book" from Julie our Publicity Officer.

Don't forget about our theme. Are you a hopeless romantic, a fitness and health fanatic or just a bit of each? Make sure you "Listen to your Heart" and follow it to Morayfield in July 2025.

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Visit our website for more details. [www.2025.ansdc.au](http://www.2025.ansdc.au)



## 65<sup>th</sup> Australian National Square Dance Convention July 7<sup>th</sup> – 11<sup>th</sup> 2025

### Venues:

**The Morayfield Sports & Events Centre and  
The Morayfield Community Hall.**

Both are located at **The Morayfield Community Complex,**  
298 Morayfield Rd, Morayfield QLD 4506

By completing this **EXPRESSION OF INTEREST** you will receive **regular email updates** AND have the opportunity to purchase “Early Bird” tickets from the 20<sup>TH</sup> May 2024. As an incentive, we will randomly select 65 “Early Birds” to receive a refund of \$65 in recognition of the 65<sup>th</sup> in ‘25

Name	
Address	
Email	
Phone/Mobile No	

***I am also available for volunteering duties: (Please Tick where applicable)***

In the week prior to the Convention	<input type="checkbox"/>	
During the Convention: Marshal	<input type="checkbox"/>	First Aid <input type="checkbox"/>
General Duties	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Other (please specify)		

Volunteering duties could include assembling registration materials, decorating, running errands, preparing refreshments, cleaning.

Return to: **65<sup>TH</sup> ANSDC, Post Office Box 248, Buderim Qld 4556:**  
or scan and Email to: [contact@2025.ansdc.au](mailto:contact@2025.ansdc.au)

Visit our website for more details. [www.2025.ansdc.au](http://www.2025.ansdc.au)

METROPOLITAN SQUARES					
DAY	AREA	CLUB	LEVEL	CALLER	PHONE (07)
MON	Deception Bay	Upbeat Ch.a.o.s	P	Glenn Wilson	0413 017 778
	Ipswich CBD	Town & Country Squares	B/M/P	Kay Walker	0419 717 520
TUES	Alexandra Hills	Gumdale Grandsliders	M/P	Alan Evans	3800 1270
	Brisbane CBD	50+ Centre	B/M/P	Kay Walker	0419 717 520
WED	Stafford	Wavell Whirlaways	M/P	Sid Leighton	0418 724 636
	Graceville	Uniting Squares Day	B/M	Kay Walker	0419 717 520
	Oxley 2 <sup>nd</sup> &4 <sup>th</sup>	Uniting Squares	A	Kay Walker	0419 717 520
THUR	Zillmere	Northside Promenaders	M/S/P	Glenn Wilson	0413 017 778
	Crestmead	Logan City Dancers	A	Alan Evans	0405 316 469
FRI	Ipswich	Town & Country Squares	M/P	Kay Walker	0419 717 520
	Crestmead	Alan Allemanders	M/P	Alan Evans	3800 1270
SAT	Crestmead	Logan City Dancers	M	Guest Caller	0405 316 469
SUN	Graceville 1 <sup>st</sup> &3 <sup>rd</sup>	Kay's Plus	P/A	Kay Walker	0419 717 520
	Caboolture	E.Z. Squares	M/P	Elaine Davis	5496 7471
COUNTRY/REGIONAL SQUARES					
MON	Buderim	Suncoasters	P	Nev McLachlan	0417 729 263
	Buderim	Kangaroo Kapers	M/P	Robin Weltevreden	0418 750 239
TUES	Buderim	Suncoasters	B/M	Nev McLachlan	0417 729 263
FRI	Bundaberg	Cane Country	R/M/P	Matthew Mills	0418 479 814
SAT	Buderim	Kangaroo Kapers	M/P	Robin Weltevreden	0418 750 239
	Buderim	Suncoasters 1 <sup>st</sup> 3 <sup>rd</sup> 5 <sup>th</sup>	R/M	Nev McLachlan	0417 729 263
	Hervey Bay	Stepping Out Hosted by Hervey Bay S.D. Club	B	Laptop Playlists	07 41251614

METROPOLITAN CLOGGING					
THUR	Lutwyche	Double Jingle Cloggers	Basic to Adv	Frances	0429851891
COUNTRY/REGIONAL ROUNDS & CLOGGING					
MON	Buderim	Suncoasters Rounds	Lrng II IV	Bev McLachlan	54451238, 0427135442

**All clubs listed are current financial members as at 28 August 2023**





## The Square Dance Society of Queensland Inc.-Diary of Events

7 <sup>th</sup> May 2024	Gumdale Grandsliders 37 <sup>th</sup> Birthday Celebration Dance Contact: Heather on 0407 381 439
11 <sup>th</sup> May 2024	Saturday Sance – Logan City Square Dance Centre Contact: Jane on: 0405 316 469
20 <sup>th</sup> – 24 <sup>th</sup> May 2024	64 <sup>th</sup> Australian National Square Dance Convention – Marrara Stadium, Darwin. <a href="http://www.darwin2024.com">www.darwin2024.com</a> – Contact: 0458 555 379
14 <sup>th</sup> – 16 <sup>th</sup> June 2024	Winter Rounds by the Sea – QRDA Coolum Civic Centre. Contact: Chris Heyworth on 0400 530 673
22 <sup>nd</sup> June 2024	50 Years of Calling for Alan Evans Thorneside Community Hall, Thorneside – Contact: Heather on 0407 381 439
13 <sup>th</sup> – 14 <sup>th</sup> July 2024	Plus & A Level Weekend – Logan City Square Dance Centre Contact: Jane on 0405 316 469
6 <sup>th</sup> – 7 <sup>th</sup> September 2024	The Square Dance Society of QLD Inc. 70 <sup>th</sup> Platinum Celebrations Burnie Brae Centre, Chermside.

